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Sentencing Delayed For Rap Brown

NEW ORLEANS, June 1 (UPI)—Sentencing of black militant H. Rap Brown for a 1967 firearms violation has been postponed until Friday, Brown's attorney, William Kunstler, said today.

Sentencing had been set for today before U.S. District Judge Lansing Mitchell, but Kunstler said he would appear before a New York court today and could not be in New Orleans.

Kunstler has complained to Mitchell about the judge's order to whisk Brown from his Rikers Island prison hospital cell in New York to New Orleans despite a court order barring his removal to Louisiana.